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Response to Office Action of October 10, 2003

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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HAVING A CENTRAL GAME AND A PLURALITY OF PERIPHERAL  
GAMES  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 10, 2003, and in accordance with the telephone interview conducted on November 19, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 17 of this paper.

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